

THE GAZETTE.

LEWISTOWN, PA. FRIDAY EVENING, March 8, 1850.

TERMS: ONE DOLLAR PER ANNUM, IN ADVANCE.

For six months, 75 cents. All NEW subscriptions must be paid in advance.

To gratify the desire expressed by a number of our subscribers to see the speech of Hon. THADDEUS STEVENS on the Slavery Question, we omit several articles intended for this week's Gazette.

For the information of Candidates at the Spring Election, we deem it proper to state that no tickets will be printed at this office on the day of election.

Anonymous correspondents might save themselves the trouble of writing communications. If they have not confidence enough in the editor, to entrust him with their names, they certainly cannot expect us to give them or their productions credit.

Fire.—The dwelling house of Wm. B. Johnson, with all its contents, situated about one mile from Reedsville, was consumed by fire on Monday evening last.

The WEATHER.—The past week has been one of the most disagreeable we have had this winter. The gale of wind noticed in our last prostrated the fences in all directions, and did some other damage.

A DEEL ALMOST.—Col. Jefferson Davis, of Mississippi, challenged Col. Bissel, a loco member of the House from Illinois, on the 27th ult., in consequence of his remarks in reference to the conduct of the Mississippi regiment at the battle of Buena Vista.

There are a few men in the Loco-foco party, in Pennsylvania, says the Harrisburg Telegraph, who play the game of corruption so boldly that they actually disarm opposition by their open and avowing disclosure of their degrading sentiments.

THE subscriber having been appointed Agent for the sale of S. Crane's Compound Wash Mixture in the counties of Millin, Centre, Clearfield, Cambria, Jefferson, Blair, Bedford, and Somerset, hereby cautions all persons not to use, make, or sell a Wash Mixture containing any of the ingredients specified in the patent granted to the said S. Crane on the 19th day of January, 1850, as his instructions from Dr. D. McVoy, the owner of the patent right for this State, are peremptory to bring suit against all who infringe the same, whether under the name of "Jones's Magical Solution," or any other solution or soap containing the ingredients, in whole or in part, patented as above.

Mr. Porter further declared that the proposed amendment, or any change in the Constitution, would have the effect of giving at least two-thirds of the Judges to the Whig party, and this was another reason why he opposed it.

The steamer Alabama arrived at New Orleans on the 28th ult., from Chagres. She brings 65 passengers, and dates from San Francisco to the 24th of January, and four hundred and sixty thousand dollars worth of gold dust on freight and belonging to passengers.

A terrible and disastrous inundation had taken place at Sacramento City, caused by the overflowing of the river—a thing that has not happened before to so great an extent for many years. Nearly the entire city was covered with water.

At the mines near Stockton, the Chilians made quite a fierce attack upon the Americans working there. Several of the assailants were killed, and a number wounded on both sides, and many of the Chilians taken prisoners.

Mrs. Fremont has recovered her health, and herself and husband are about departing for Panama for the United States. They will doubtless leave by the next steamer.

A number of new advertisements, though set in very small type, encroach on our space to such an extent as to interfere seriously on our news items, legislative proceedings, &c.

For the Gazette. Fare on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Mr. Editor.—The distance from Lewistown to Harrisburg, by the Pennsylvania Railroad, is but a fraction over 60 miles, yet travellers from this place are compelled to pay \$1.90, while at the same time cards are handed round which it is stated that the rate of fare is 3 cents a mile! Under the old method of calculating the charge would be \$1.80, or if 61 miles, \$1.83, and while it is a small matter to talk about, yet let all fare be as it should be.

SAMUEL H. BERRYHILL is recommended to the voters of the Borough of Lewistown as a candidate for High Constable, and that he would make a good officer is the opinion of MANY VOTERS.

SABBATH MEETING.—A meeting will be held in the Presbyterian Church, on Friday evening, the 8th inst., at early candlelight, to adopt measures to secure a more proper observance of the Sabbath. All persons favorable to this measure are earnestly requested to attend.

For the Gazette. Geographical Enigma.

I am composed of seventeen letters. My 11 12 14 17 4 10 is a county in Tennessee. 14 12 5 16 3 is a city in Sardinia. 12 10 2 15 is a river in Russia. 4 8 2 17 is a city in Arabia. 6 12 14 5 16 10 is a town in New Hampshire. 11 13 2 16 8 15 is a county in New York. 12 7 16 11 17 is a river in Maine. 2 9 14 11 17 is a town in New Hampshire. 10 11 17 5 11 2 is a town in Georgia. 3 16 2 10 2 17 is a river in Russia. 9 17 14 5 16 10 is a town in Ireland. 10 7 14 12 15 is a county in Italy. 14 4 16 7 is a town in Scotland. My whole can be found in Spain. W. F.

The Apprentices Literary Society having learned the death of JAMES M. BELL, son of George Bell, Esq., of Armagh township, late a fellow-member, who departed this life on the 13th ult., at the residence of his father, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted: Resolved, That it is with feelings of deep regret we have heard of the death of our late friend and fellow-member, JAMES M. BELL, with whose memory we cherish the liveliest recollections of his kind and amiable disposition and winning deportment.

Resolved, That while we deeply sympathize with the parents and relatives of our departed friend in their bereavement, through this dispensation of Divine Providence, we rejoice in any amount of mud. The river had risen considerably this morning, and may possibly prevent the canal from being put in navigable order until next week.

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THE MARKETS.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price per bushel, and other market data for various goods like flour, wheat, rye, and potatoes.

Five Hundred Dollars.

THE undersigned has \$500 in value in Fox, Mink, Raccoon, Muskrat, and Rabbit Skins, for which the highest price in cash will be paid on delivery, at the "Janitor Hat Store."

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a Deed of Assignment executed by John R. Phillips, in trust for his creditors, will be offered for sale at the Court House, in the borough of Lewistown, on WEDNESDAY, March 13th, 1850, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, the following described plantation and tract of land, bounded by land of George Strunk on the west, Caldwell's heirs on the north, and Grimmering and others, containing 176 Acres, more or less.

There are thereon erected a large STONE BANK BARN, a FRAME HOUSE, and various OUT HOUSES. Also, a good APPLE ORCHARD, and other improvements. The land is nearly all cleared, and a reasonable proportion of it meadow, or can be made into meadow. Persons desirous of purchasing will please call and see the property before the day of sale.

Administrators' Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of WILLIAM M. INGRAM, dec'd., late of Potter township, Centre county, having been granted to the subscribers, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against said estate are requested to present them properly authenticated for settlement without delay, to either of the undersigned.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of sundry writs of Vendition Expone, Levari Facias, Pluries Levari Facias, Alio Testatum Vendition Expone, and Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Millin county, and to be directed, will be exposed to sale by public outcry, at the Court House, in the Borough of Lewistown, at one o'clock, P. M., on Saturday, March 30, 1850, the following described property, viz:

A Tract of Land situate in Oliver township, Millin county, bounded by lands of Jacob Gover on the east, and Peter Rhoads and the other lands of the said William Ervin on the west and south, containing one hundred and twenty acres, more or less, about 82 acres thereof cleared, having thereon erected a log house, log barn, and other improvements. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of William Ervin.

Also—All the interest of Hopper & Hamilton in a lot of ground situate in the Borough of Lewistown, Millin county, containing 50 feet more or less, on Market street, and extending back same width to a public alley on the south, on the west by lot of Francis Thompson, and on the north by lot of James Parker, having thereon erected a one story frame shop. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Hopper & Hamilton.

Also—A Lot of Ground situate in the Borough of Newton Hamilton, bounded on the east by lot of Mrs. Butler, on the south by Pennsylvania Canal, on the west by lot of Joseph Postelthwaite and on the north by an alley, with a frame stable, and other improvements thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of William Hamilton & James Corbett.

Also—A Lot of Ground situate in the Borough of Newton Hamilton, Millin county, containing one and one-fourth acres, be the same more or less, bounded on the north-west by Second street, on the north-east by Church street, on the south-east by lots of Samuel A. Corbett, J. W. Yandley and others, and on the south-west by lands of the heirs of George W. Patton, Sr., and taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Joseph C. Seebler.

Also—A Lot of Ground situate in the west end of the Borough of Lewistown, fronting 15 feet on Broad street, on the west by John Kline, on the north by the same canal, on the east by Samuel Nelson, with a frame house and other improvements thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Cain Kennedy.

Also—A Lot of Ground situate in the Borough of McVoytown, whereon is erected a two story frame dwelling house, carpenter shop and stable, together with other improvements. A.C. bounded as follows: On the north by the heirs of John Kline, on the north-east by the same canal, on the east by Canal street, being lot No. 35 in the plan of said borough. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of William D. Davis.

Also—A Lot of Ground situate in the Borough of Lewistown, containing 92 feet more or less, on Third street, extending back on the east side of Brown street 200 feet to a 16 foot alley on the north, with a one story frame and log house, a frame stable, and other improvements thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of George W. Patton, Sr.

Also—A Lot of Ground situate in the Borough of Lewistown, containing one fourth of an acre, be the same more or less, bounded by lands of James Poe on the east, Steady's heirs on the south, and John Brodie on the north, and the great road leading from Brown's Mills to Huntington on the north-west, with a large two story frame dwelling house, a frame stable, and other improvements thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Joseph Goodhart.

Also—A Lot of Ground in the Borough of Lewistown, Millin county, with a brick dwelling house thereon erected, and other improvements, bounded by Third street on the north, 16 feet alley on the south, the Baptist church lot on the east, and lot of James Potter, sen, on the west. Also—Levied on one other Lot of Ground in the Borough and county aforesaid, with a brick dwelling house, and other improvements thereon erected, bounded on the east by lot of James Poter, sen, and by the street aforesaid, and a lot of James Parker on the west, each of the above lots being 60 feet fronting on Third street, and 200 feet deep, more or less.

Also—One other Lot of Ground in the Borough and county aforesaid, containing 200 feet on Third street, and 100 feet on the street, (now occupied by Mrs. Crawley) being 60 feet front on Third street, and 200 feet deep to a 16 foot alley, with a two story brick house, a stable, and other improvements thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of James Potter, sen.

Also—All the right, title and interest of James Poter, sen, in a Lot of Ground on the corner of Wayne and Elizabeth streets, in the Borough and county aforesaid, with a large frame warehouse, a tenant house, and other improvements thereon, (now in the occupancy of Union M' Coy) in execution, and to be sold as the property of James Poter, sen.

Also—A Lot of Ground situate on the north side of Market street, in the Borough of Lewistown, Millin county, containing 60 feet in front on Market street aforesaid, and extending back same width to a 16 foot alley, having thereon erected a large two story brick dwelling house, a brick business house, a large frame stable, and other out-houses thereon erected, bounded by a lot now of Robert Hope on the west, and a lot of George Patton on the east. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of William D. Davis.

Also—A certain Message or Tract of Land situate on Hale street and Wayne street, extended, being lot No. 1 in the plan of certain lots laid off by R. C. Hale, said lot being part of a tract of land which William Brown, Esq., by his deed dated the 21st day of January, A. D. 1822, recorded in Book 2, page 22, sold and conveyed to William S. Brown, who, with Ann, his wife, by their deed dated the 19th day of April, A. D. 1820, recorded in Book 3, page 328, sold and conveyed the same to Joseph Milliken, from whom, by warranty deed, dated the 17th day of February, A. D. 1841, and recorded in the records of the office of Millin county, in Deed Book No. 4, page 116, sold and conveyed the same to William D. Davis, in and to the above described lot of ground No. 1, aforesaid, unto J. R. Crawford, party of the first part, who, with Margaret P. his wife, by deed dated the 20th day of December, A. D. 1841, recorded in Deed Book V, page 127, sold and conveyed the same to David Hanaker, from whom and Rebecca his wife, by transfers and assignments recorded in Book V, page 125 and 129, the same became vested in Jacob Stoutenberg, who, with Rachel Ann his wife, sold and conveyed the same to William D. Davis, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of William D. Davis.

Also—Certain Messages, Tenements and Tracts of Land, (among others) situate, lying and being in and near the township of Armagh, county of Millin, aforesaid, surveyed by virtue of applications or warrants issued on January, 1794, in the names of Malcolin Andrew and Catharine Basen. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Francis H. Raule, James Hall and William B. Norris.

Also—A Lot of Ground fronting 60 feet on Main street, in the Borough of Newton Hamilton, bounded on the north and east by Samuel Drake, on the south-west by John C. McKinstry, and on the south-east by the Pennsylvania Canal, part of said lot lying on each side of said street.

Also—His Interest in a Lot of Ground fronting 60 feet on Main street on the north-west, on the north-east by Bridge street, on the south-east by the Pennsylvania Canal, and on the south-west by G. W. Askins, with a large frame ware and store house, &c., and a large lot of ground, bounded on the north-east by J. J. Cunningham and William Allen, and bounded by J. J. Cunningham and William Allen, and other.

Also—A certain Message or Tract of Land situate in Greenview township, Millin county, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake at the south-west corner of a half and half 92 perches and five feet to an oak, thence by land formerly of Henry Hall south 24 degrees east 161 perches to a chestnut, thence by mountain survey north 55 degrees east 84 perches to an oak, thence north 50 degrees east 161 perches and five tenths to the place of beginning, containing 85 acres 111 perches, more or less. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of James Milliken.

Also—A certain Message, Tract or Parcel of Land, situate in Wayne township, Millin county, Pa., bounded as follows, viz:—beginning at stones a corner or part of same tract sold to and owned by Christian King, thence by land surveyed to John Brown and James Johnston north 45 degrees, east 227 perches to stones, thence by James Johnston north 28 degrees, west 276 perches to post on line of Robert Elliott's land, thence by same south 73 degrees, west 541 perches to white oak, by same north 48 degrees, thence by white oak, by same north 116 perches to stones, thence by William Leepers north 50 degrees, west 132 perches to stones, thence by Jacks mountain south 42 degrees, west 33 perches to stones, thence by John D.

with John 45 degrees, east 107 perches to stones, thence by John Switzer south 10 degrees, west 110 perches to post, thence by Henry Decker north 87 degrees, east 101 perches to pine, by same south 13 degrees, east 185 perches to stones, by same south 61 degrees, west 13 perches to white oak, thence by James Galbraith south 59 degrees, east 62 perches to oak, by same south 19 degrees, east 48 perches to maple, by same south 67 degrees, west 214 perches to white oak sapling on Christian Kings part of same, thence by same south 45 degrees, east 120 and two sevenths to stones, the place of beginning, containing 282 acres and 40 perches, with the usual allowance. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of David W. Halting, Michael Saltz, terre tenant.

Also—All the interest of James McNitt in a Tract of Land, situate in Armagh township, Millin county, containing one hundred and fifty acres, be the same more or less, about one hundred and thirty acres cleared, bounded on the east by lands of John Atken, on the south by William Brown's heirs, and on the west by lands of William Barrett's heirs, and on the north, east and west by lands of John Atken and the black mountain, with a two story log dwelling house, double log barn, blacksmith shop, and other improvements thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of James McNitt.

Notice to Collectors.

THE Collectors of State and County taxes are hereby notified that the Commissioners will be in session, at their office, in Lewistown, on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the 13th and 14th of March, for the purpose of granting exonerations to Collectors, so that they may be able to settle off their duplicates without delay.

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NOTICE.

THE following accounts have been examined and passed by me, and remain filed of record in this office, for inspection of heirs, legatees, creditors, and all others in any way interested, and will be presented to the next Orphans' Court of the county of Millin, to be held at the Court House, in Lewistown, on Thursday, the 4th day of April, 1850, for allowance and confirmation.

1st. The final account of George Sigler and John Reigle, executors of Jacob Reigle, late of Decatur township, dec'd.

2d. The administration account of Jacob Schaeffer, administrator of Amos Smoker, late of Menno township, dec'd.

3d. The administration account of Gabriel Dummire and Jacob Garver, administrators of Peter Ruble, late of Oliver township, deceased.

4th. The administration account of John Sproule, administrator of Hugh Sproule, late of Wayne township, dec'd.

5th. The administration account of John H. Sweeney, administrator of John Entrek, late of the borough of Lewistown, dec'd.

6th. The administration account of Samuel Rittenhouse, surviving administrator of Isaac W. Donahoe, late of the borough of Lewistown, deceased.

7th. The administration account of Michael Youtz, administrator of Jesse B. Morris, late of Oliver township, dec'd.

8th. The final guardianship account of Wm. Shaw, guardian of the minor children of John M'Padden, late of Granville township, dec'd.

9th. The guardianship account of Michael Ruble, guardian of Susannah Ruble, minor child of Elizabeth Ruble, late of Granville tp., dec'd.

10th. The guardianship account of Ellis Griffith, guardian of the minor children of Richard S. Brimmer, late of the borough of McVoytown, deceased.

11th. The supplemental and final administration account of G. V. Mitchell and Robert Horning, administrators of Ellen Vance, late of Oliver township, dec'd.

12th. The administration account of John Peachey, administrator of David Young, late of Oliver township, dec'd.

13th. The administration account of Robert Laughlin, administrator of Mathew Glasgow, late of Wayne township, dec'd.

14th. The guardianship account of Yost Yoder, guardian of Catharine Hartzler, minor child of Adam Hartzler, late of Union township, dec'd.

15th. The guardianship account of John Kauffman, guardian of Samuel Yoder, minor son of Solomon Yoder, late of Union township, dec'd.

ARCH STREET WALL PAPER WAREHOUSE.

No. 142 Arch street, between Sixth and Seventh, south side, Philadelphia.

THE proprietor of the above extensive establishment has now opened his superb stock of WALL PAPERS, which are all of the latest and most fashionable manufacture. Purchasers from the country can rely on being accommodated with patterns suitable for every purpose, without the inconvenience of looking farther.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

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THE petition of WILLIAM MOYER, of the Borough of Lewistown, in said county, respectfully represents: That he is well provided with house room and the conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers, at the house he now occupies in said borough. He therefore prays your honorability to grant him a license for keeping a public inn or tavern, and he, as in duty bound, will pray, &c.

THE PETITION of Jacob Beasley, of the borough of Lewistown, in said county, respectfully sheweth: That he occupies a house in said borough, on the bank of the Pennsylvania Canal, near the Lock, which has been heretofore occupied as a public house of entertainment, and is desirous of continuing to keep a public house therein. He therefore prays your honorability to grant him a license to keep a public house at the place aforesaid, for the ensuing year, and he will ever pray, &c.

THE petition of Charles Caughlin, of the borough of Lewistown, in said county, respectfully sheweth: That he occupies a house in said borough, on the bank of the Pennsylvania Canal, near the Lock, which has been heretofore occupied as a public house of entertainment, and is desirous of continuing to keep a public house therein. He therefore prays your honorability to grant him a license to keep a public house at the place aforesaid, for the ensuing year, and he will ever pray, &c.

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CHALLENGE BLACKING.

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